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SUBJECT HUMAN RIGHTS DISCUSSED AT THE NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT BANK

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1. AT A LUNCHEON HOSTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF BANCO NACIONAL DE DESARROLLO ON DECEMBER 16, AT WHICH AMBASSADOR CASTRO WAS GUEST OF HONOR, THE SUBJECT OF HUMAN RIGHTS FIGURED PROMINENTLY IN THE CONVERSATION. OTHER GUESTS WERE IMPORTANT ARGENTINE BUSINESSMEN. THE ARGENTINES BROACHED THE SUBJECT WITH CONSIDERABLE VEHEMENCE, ACCUSING THE USG OF IGNORANCE OF ARGENTINAS CIRCUMSTANCES AND AGUING THAT IT WAS TOTALLY UNREALISTIC TO EXPECT US LEGAL STANDARDS TO BE APPLIED IN A "DIRTY" WAR SITUATION IN ARGENTINA. AMBASSADOR ARGUED US POSITION AND MADE POINT THAT EVEN IN WARTIME THERE ARE RULES OF THE GAME BETWEEN CIVILIZED COUNTRIES. HE EMPHASIZED NEED OF ARGENTINES TO IMPROVE THEIR IMAGE OVERSEAS BY AT LEAST MAKING PUBLIC THE NAMES OF THOSE ARRESTED AND THE SPECIFIC CHARGES. FROM EMBASSY POINT OF VIEW, LUNCHEON WAS MODERATELY SUCCESSFUL AS A NUMBER OF THE ARGENTINES PRESENT EVENTUALLY ALLOWED THAT IN VIEW OF FACT WAR AGAINST TERRORISM WAS PRACTICALLY OVER, GOA COULD AND SHOULD RETURN TO PROSECUTING IT WITHIN LEGAL FRAMEWORK. CASTRO

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